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Applicant:

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of this application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 3, line 1, after "Claim (1)" delete or (2)".

Claim 4, line 1, after "Claim (1)" delete "or (2)".

Claim 7, line 1, after "Claim (5)" delete "or (6)".

Claim 8, line 1, after "Claim (5)" delete "or (6)".

If the Examiner has any questions relating to the application, Applicant's attorney may be reached at (248) 647-6000.

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